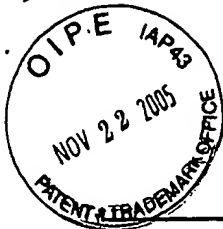


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**AMENDMENT AFTER NOTICE  
OF ALLOWANCE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.312**

Dear Sir:

**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

This Amendment is filed responsive to the Notice of Allowance mailed June 2, 2005.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.312, Applicants respectfully submit an Amendment to the Specification to be entered before issuance of this application.

**Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.**

**Remarks/Arguments begin on page 3 of this paper.**